

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An electrical connector comprises first and second connectors connectable to each other in a predetermined connecting direction. The first connector comprises a 5 housing, a plurality of contacts supported by the housing, and a metal reinforcement member fixed to the housing. The reinforcement member is engageable with an engagement groove of the second connector. The reinforcement member includes a pair of engagement projections. The first 10 and second connectors are permitted to be offset from each other in a direction intersecting the connecting direction and guided with respect to each other for connection thereof when the engagement projections are introduced into the engagement groove. (Fig. 7)